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tended coming with him, have decided to spend the summer in France, returning to this country in the autumn.

Dinners

Col. and Mrs. Robert I. Fleming were hosts at an informal dinner party at their country place, "Oak View," last evening, in compliment to Mrs. J. L. Loose, of Chicago, their house guest. The consul general to London and Mrs. Wynne, Mrs. DeWitt Talmage, Mrs. edham, Gen. J. M. Wilson, General Richardson, Dr. Reynolds, United States Army, and Miss Inda Bell Fleming and Vedder Fleming, son and daughter of the hosts, were the others to dine

Miss Marian Stevens entertained a party of young friends at an informal dinner party at Chevy Chase last even-

The faculty and pupils of Hamilton Institute were delightfully entertained at dinner Friday evening by Dr. and Mrs. B. J. Cobleigh, of Wilkesbarre, at the New Willard. Miss Cobleigh is a student at Hamilton Institute.

Mrs. Talmage gave a breakfast Friday in honor of Mrs. J. L. Loose, now here on a visit to Col. and Mrs. R. I. Fleming, at Oak View. The guests included Senator Burrows, Col. and Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Moore Richardson, Mrs. Needham, Miss India Bell Fleming, Dr. MacDonald and Miss Col-The table was decorated with

Teas.

Oak Grove, the home of Mrs. Louis P. Shoemaker, was a scene of loveliness on Thursday afternoon, when she held her spring reception from 4 o'clock un-til 7. She was surrounded by a bevy of til 7. She was surrounded by a bevy of handsome assistants, Mrs. Agnes T. Adams, her sister; Mrs. Lay, wife of Capt. Thomas E. Lay, of the navy; Miss Lay, Miss Stone, of Brightwood, and Mrs. Jeansen, of Mt. Pleasant.

Callers lingered at the picturesque home until the sun went down. The handsome gowns of the ladies added much to the attractiveness of the scene. Mr. Shoemaker divided his attentions among the guests and Abner Shoemaker presided at the punch bowl.

Refreshments were served in the din-

Luncheons

A number of friends were present at a delightful luncheon given by Mrs. M. Hyde at her home, 2823 Thirteenth street northwest, on Thursday, in honor of her daughter, Kittle. Those present with their wives were Messrs. Blundon, Hettinger, Geier, A. R. Verela, James F. McHugh; also Mrs. Toole, Mrs. Getz, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. John Morse of Baltimore, the Misses O'Meara, Toole, Varela and Jueneman, Miss DeWitt, of New York city, and Miss Moulton, Bal-timore; Mr. Reh, Mr. Toole, Mr. Lou-than Maril

During the evening one amusing feature was the calling up of absent friends over the telephone, as well as singing "Auld Lang Syne" by the entire company, accompanied by piano and violin.

Receptions

The president and trustees of the George Washington University will give a reception to the graduating classes of 1905 at Rauscher's, Wednesday, May 31, at 9 o'clock. Dancing will be a feature of the evening.

The patronesses for the event are:

Mrs. Ashton, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. Frederick K. Benedict, Mrs. Van Rensselaer Berry, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Lothrop Bradley, Mrs. Bromwell, Mrs. Brown, Baroness von dem Bussche, Mrs. Chaffee, Mrs. Oliver Cromwell, Mrs. Oscar Terry Crosby, Mrs. William Phelps Eno, Mrs. Fairbanks, Vicomtesse de Faramond, Mrs. Foraker, Mrs. Fre-mont, Mrs. Gaff, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Edmund K. Goldsborough, Arnold Hague, Mrs. Hitchcock Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Mrs. Archirald Hopkins, Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. Gardiner Hubbard, Madame Jusserand, Mrs. Charles Hallam Keep, Miss Kibbey, Mrs. han, Miss McWilliams, Mrs. Alexander F. Magruder, Baroness Moncheur, Mrs. Mrs. Beatrice Smith and Joseph M. Edward Lind Morse, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Plimiewicz were married in Rockville Needham, Mrs. Herbert H. D. Peirce, May 25. Mrs. Cleveland Perkins, Mrs. Henry Kirke Porter, Mrs. Richardson, Miss Dr. George Bullock Weiss, of this city, Riggs, Miss Olive Risley Seward, Mrs. and Miss Virginia Tillard Syme, of Win-William A. Slater, Mrs. Spencer, Baron-ess Speck Sternburg, Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Thursday by the Rev. Henry T. Sharp

pleased to see their friends in honor of their golden wedding anniversary. Sunday, June 4, from 7 to 10 o'clock, at to Dr. Leighton Van B. Marschalk, of

Weddings.

and announced engagements are of al-most daily occurrence.

Hermann Wilhelm Birgfeld, Wednesday evening, June 7, at 8 o'clock, in St Miss Florence Dahlgren, now of Phil- Andrew's Church.

adelphia, but well known to society in this city, and Dr. John Henry Rhett, of parents will follow the ceremony. Washington, will be married at the Philadelphia, June 6. Bishop Mackay Smith will officiate, and Miss Kitty Wilson, and Benjamin Buck Kirkland, on son, daughter of General Wilson, of Wednesday, May 24, at Stewart Nook, Wilmington, Del., will be maid of hon-or. Miss Anne Lawrence and Miss Bes-ber of the Metropolitan Club here, and sie Sarrelly, both of Philadelphia, will Calumet Club, of New York. He has be bridesmaids. Lawrence Paul, of Philmany friends in Washington.

Outdoor Life Engages Washington Society



MISS BEATRICE WINANS.

Miss Beatrice Winans, the Baltimore heiress, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Winans, who is to marry Prince de Bearn, former attache of the French embassy here, is said to be very beautiful as well as rich, and will grace the hoard of family jewels, many of them of great historic value, which are the only dowry the prince can offer his bride.

Charles B. Dahlgren, whose winter home is in Trenton, N. J. Dr. Rhett is not only well known in Washington socially, home in Washington. but professionally as well.

Miss Rita Hamilton Ryan's marriage ing room and the original table decorations were the source of continued admiration. The successful addition of imported effects in ornamental trees and the protesting and will furnish one of the strubbers, give delightful park vious to Alan Ogilvie Clephane at noon on shrubbery give delightful park views month. Dr. Sterling Ruffin, cousin of from the residence, and the exquisite the bride, will give her away, and her rookeries surrounding the magnificent sister, Miss Martha Ryan, will be maid lawn add additional charm to Oak of honor. Miss Louise Ryan, another sister; Miss Carolyn Nash, daughter of Dr. Nash, of the navy, and Miss Elizabeth Middleton Bryan, of Charleston, S C., both cousins of the bride, and Miss be flower girl.

> brother, Lewis Painter Clephane: the nen, Malcolm Wolcott Clephane of New York, his cousin; Wallace Donthis city; John H. Ballinger, of Seattle, Wash.; Lieut. William Kern Gise, U. S. N., and Foster R. Greene, of Fall Riv-

After the wedding there will be a home the small breakfast at the residence of the in June. than, Martin and Frank McHugh, Mr. Varela, Mr. Lehman, Mr. Mathien, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Morse, of Balti-

Miss Marion Robbins' marriage to Lawrence A. Janney, son of Prof. and Mrs. Barnarà T. Janney, of George-town, which will take place at Stone-leigh Court at 4:30 o'clock, is another prominent wedding of the first day of both take place in the parlors of Stoneleigh, and a large number of friends of able discussion, was adopted, and the both families have been invited to the committee was authorized to have the Miss Robbins is an altogether book published. attractive girl, and will make one of the prettiest brides of the season.

married. The Rev. Dr. Newman will urer, Mrs. Curtis Eisinger; planist, Mrs. officiate, and Dr. Bischoff will give a Rosie L. Townsend; auditor, John Brymusical program during the service. son, The wedding will be followed by a large reception at Rauscher's.

At the wedding of Miss M. Grace Mathews and Thomas Cuthbert Trescott which will take place at St. John's Church, Georgetown, June 19, Theodore J. Pickett will be best man.

Miss Gertrude Viola Knowles, of this city, and Aveline M. Dufour, of Somer set Heights, Montgomery county, Md., were married at Rockville, Md., last Thursday at the residence of the Rev. served throughout the evening. Bruce King, Mrs. J. Hall Lewis, Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. George Xavier McLana-Thursday at the residence of the Rev. Ernest Wolf.

chester, Va., were married in Baltimore Henry St. George Tucker, Mrs. Augusthe bride was attended by her sister, tus C. Tyler, Mrs. Walcott, Mrs. West-Miss Susie Syme, and G. W. Iddings inghouse, Mrs. Wilbur, Mrs. Gardner was best man for Dr. Weiss. They will make Washington their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ratcliffe, o

this city. The wedding will take place Wednesday, June 7, at high noon, in the Primitive Baptist Church, North Fork, Va.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Fitton Denny The list of June brides constantly in-have issued invitations to the marriage creases, both in number and interest, of their daughter, Virginia Small, to

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Brown, daughter of Capt. S. J. Brown, of Annapolis, to Lieutenant

Announcement has been made of the ngagement of Miss Pearl Sabin, daugh-

The engagement of Miss Katharine J. Subert to Lieut. Com. C. M. McCor-Claudia Trenholm, of New York city, mick, U. S. Navy, is announced. The will be bridesmaids. Miss Beatrice Cle-wedding will take place at the home of phane, a niece of the bridegroom, will the bride at Middleway, W. Va., on June

> Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Mary Blair Sharpe and Capt. George Montgomery, of the Ord-nance Department, U. S. A.

Miss Sharpe is a daughter of the late Rev. J. Henry Sharpe, D. D., of Philadelphia, and niece of Mrs. Charles J of Bryn Mawr, Pa., at whose home the wedding will take place early

Entertainments.

The Capitol Hill Literary Society held The ceremony and reception will The report of the committee on year was received, and, after consider-

The following named officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. Lucille I. Betts; first vice presi-The First Congregational Church will dent, Dr. James McKee; second vice be the scene of a pretty wedding the evening of June 1, when Miss Mary Mortage and the president, Mrs. Mary A. Hicks; secretary, Mrs. Daisy Wedding Trauty; regan and John Lawton Norwood will be cording secretary, C. S. Hardy; treas-

A vote of thanks was given the retiring officers and refreshments were served by the committee.

Other Washington visitors of the week were served by the committee.

O. P. Morton Woman's Relief Corps, No. 1, gave a euchre party at G. A. R. Hall Thursday evening. First prize for the ladies was won by Mrs. William B. Haynes; first gentleman's prize, Eugene son Syphax and W. H. Conn. After the games were over dancing was indulged in until midnight. Refreshments were served throughout the evening.

A most beautiful, sacred, and impressive ceremony will take place, June at the Eighth Street Temple, when a class of twelve young girls and boys will be confirmed by the Rev. Dr. Abram Simon. The confirmants are Miss Gladys Mayer, Celeste Goodman, Rita Baer, Dora Schiffman, Margurite Kaufman, Irene Einstein, Rena Solomon, and Helen Rice, and Louis Glaser, Milton Kaufman, Clarence Eiseman, and Sylvan Grosner.

ROYAL ARCANUM WILL GIVE A EUCHRE PARTY

An informal progressive euchre party is announced by District Council, 1435, Royal Arcanum, for Wednesday evening, May 31, in the council chamber, Pythian Temple, Ninth street above Margache.

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Members of the council and their riends are invited and as the prizes are nusually novel and attractive a large attendance is anticipated. It is speially desired that those attending ar-

WASHINGTON KINDERGARTEN READY FOR CLOSING

The twenty-ninth annual commence ergarten Institution will be held on Friday. A pleasing musical and orator-

PEOPLE ONE KNOWS AT THE SEASHORE

ATLANTIC CITY, May 27.—Decoration Day with its pleasures for those who choose to spend the holiday at the shore, is bringing trainloads of visitors who will stay to enjoy the big marine parade and other special events arranged for their pleasure and that of the participants. Well-known Washington people are included among the new comers, whose number will be increased by the arrivals of the later comers who did not include the week's end in their arrangement for a seaside visit.

H. K. Willard, of Washington, is at the Dennis, accompanied by Mrs. Willard and Master Willard. They will remain for several weeks.

A notable Washington visitor of the week is Thomas Ryan, assistant to the Secretary of the Interior, who is spending some time at the Traymore with Mrs. Ryan. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Quaiffe have joined the Washington colony at the same hotel.

W. Penn Cressey, a well-known Washington, have been here for several days occupying a pleasant suite of rooms at the same hotel of the Windsor with N. N. Wyeth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Billot.

Wiltshire—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vaughn, Mrs. Redaing, S. J. Critchlow, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rowley.

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Caractery Mrs. C. F. Franker, C. T. Geading, S. J. Critchlow, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rote, T. J. Care-tone Moorehouse, Mrs. A. R. Rote, T. J. Critchlow, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. William Bryans, M. Stevenson.

Stickney—Mrs. C. F. Franblers, S. T. Carring, Mrs. C. F. Barton, William F. Stillman, Miss Clarke, Miss Devine, J. H. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Carrington, Miss Ellen Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Samuels, Mrs. C. F. Marshall, C. N. Hubb, S. A. Crose, L. A. Baum.

The Hotel Elberon, which opens this year after extensive improvements including brick and stone additions, has always drawn a fine class of patronage and promises to become still more popping season. Management of the hostelry will again be vested in Robert Lingy, a hotel man of wide experience, who will give his personal attention to the c

ington, have been here for several days occupying a pleasant suite of rooms at

Green's Hotel.

C. C. Willard and Mrs. Willard, of Washington, who arrived at the St. Charles early in the week, are entertaining Dr. J. C. Boyd, of the navy, J. V. Camlier, Miss Graham, and Miss Krebbs.

C. D. Drayton has been greeting Washington friends on the boardwalk for several days. He is registered at the Raleigh.

Harry Hughes, of Washington, is stay-

Harry Hughes, of Washington, is staying at the Seaside, where Fred R. Owens, of Denton, Md., is making a

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Upton H. Ridemont, ir., make up a party of well-known Washington folk at the Strand, where Mr. and Mrs. J. Hooper are spending the month of May. Mrs. S. S. Meade, of Washington, is entertaining Miss Mohun for the west.

Captain Hof on Boardwalk.

Capt. Samuel Hof, U. S. A., is among the recent arrivals from Washington. Captain Hof and Mrs. Hef, who accompanied him, were guests of J. B. King, at luncheon on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. A. Seymour, Miss Seymour, and Miss Helen W. Seymour, are spending several weeks at the Chalfonte. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Todd are also ter of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Sabin, to among the newly arrived Washington Capt. Alfred W. Bjornstad, U. S. Army. visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Shoemaker have joined the Washington contingent at the Rossm

Mrs. W. R. Riley, of Washington, accompanied by C. R. Coleman and Mrs. H. K. Benham, wife of Admiral Benham; Mrs. Charles Collins, Mrs. C. D. Harri-sen, Master Benham and Miss Elizabeth Collins, make up a party of Washington visitors who have taken up summer residences at the Grand Atlantic for a season's stay.

Button MacAfee, Esq., and Mrs. MacAfee, of Washington, are here for a stay of some weeks. They are registered at the Pennhurst. W. K. Mendenhall, of Washington, came down from Philadelphia with a

party of friends in a big auto. They registered at Young's hotel. Mrs. Norman and Miss Grace Norman have returned to their Washington after a three weeks' stay at the Hotel Richmond

S. T. Loveland, of Washington, spending several days at the Lelande with John R. Keegan, of Delaware. Col. R. G. Rutherford, U. S. A., was noted on the Boardwalk during the week with Mrs. Rutherford, They are down for a stay of a month at the Hotel Iro-

Mrs. W. W. Patterson is a recent arrival from Washington at Spencer Hall, where she will remain for several weeks. Mr. Patterson will arrive in a few days. Miss Helen C. Brown, a charming Washington girl staying at the Albemarle, is entertaining Miss C. E. Johnson, of Chicago.

At Various Hotels.

Other Washington visitors of the week

Hert.
Pierrepont—Mrs. S. A. Gray, Mrs. E.
W Frank.
Coulter Hall—E. B. Weimer, J. S. Dill,
A. I. Issacs, L. Issacs, Miss Rose Smith,
F. Woodbury, Mrs. M. L. Bremmen,
Mrs. G. H. Wells, S. D. Calder, Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Goodman.
Vermont House—C. R. McIntyre, Mrs.
Henry Booly, Henry Booly, G. W.
Myers, Miss M. C. Lonay, Miss S. I.
Lonay.

Traymore-P. Cleary, Miss M. Cleary, Miss M. B. Coe, Mrs. J. J. McSoyer, Mrs.

Those at the Islesworth.

Islesworth-Mr. and Mrs. R. Ruddkoff, Moscato, A. M. Newburger, Mrs. S. Faran. Miss Edna Morganmouth, Mr. and KinId on
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Tresses Sonoreham—E. P. Fink, W. H. LeverSnoreham—E. P. Fink, W. H. Lever-

A SUCCESSFUL RUSE.

The late A. M. Simpson, the oldest Odd Fellow in the world, who died dur-ing the winter at Staunton, Va., aged

Atlantic City Favorite Resort of Washingtonians—Going for Memorial Day—Representatives From Official and Resident Circles Promenade the Boardwalk.

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"Mr. Simpson reached down under the teat, got his own hat and put it on. Instantly, from all parts of the house here came a loud and feroclous chorus:
"Here, take off that hat."
"Hats off."
"Hats off. your hat."
"Take off your hat."
"The woman removed her hat instantv. At the same instant Mr. Simpion, chuckling, removed his own. Then
he uproar ceased."

he said.

"'Already shaved?' said I.

"'Yes, sir,' he answered. 'I shaved you while you slept. That is the custom here.'

"I found that he was right. I found that in India these wonderful native servants shave their masters in bed every morning without waking them.

"All through my stay in India I was shaved like that. It was almost enough to keep me in that hot horrid country forever."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE ATTRACTION.

There's something about that Miss Richmond that appeals to me.
Dick—Nonsense! She's a perfect fright. But they do say she's got lots of money.
Harry—By George, that's it! I knew there was something about her that was awfully attractive.—Boston Transcript.

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restraction that plumped down in the seat in front of him.

"He sighed. He sat, so to speak, on it if the sight and to the left. But in vain. Now that hat this woman was come, he could see nothing of the stage. He saw only two black ostrich plumes, a bunch of grapes, a humming bird and a bow of pinks satin ribbon-from behind this mass the voices of the players came. It was not his nature to disturb anyone. Nevertheless, he did not often get to a New Fix theater, and now that he was not his nature to disturb anyone. Nevertheless, he did not often get to a New Fix theater, and now that he was not his nature to disturb anyone. Nevertheless, he did not often get to a neeffits the fig on frout of his own. So, after a good deal of silent suffering and a good deal of silent suffering he hat, madam? I can see nothing behind it. "Madam, will you kindly take off or will you please take off that big hat, madam? I can see nothing behind it. "She turned, gave him a scornful, withering look, and settled back in her former position again.
"Madam, said Mr. Simpsen, very firmly, "if you do not remove that hat something most un'leasant will happen." She ignored him again.
"Mr. Simpson reached down under the seat, got his own het and put it on. Instantly, from all parts of the house there came a loud and feroclous chorus: "Here, take off your hat."
"Off with your hat. Off with it."
"Take off your hat."
"The woman removed her hat instantly. At the same instant Mr. Simple, charactering and makes of planos carried by this firm, and you will save \$100 to 100 my our purchase, by buying the plano direct of them instead of an agent, by the same instant liv. At the same instant Mr. Simpson, chuckling, removed his own. Then the upour cassed."

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